

REMARKS

Applicant has complied with the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and has provided a status identifier for each claim.

SUMMARY

The remaining claims in the application are claims 1 – 3, 8 – 11 and 28. Applicant has further stated that claims 4 – 6 are properly associated with the elected invention and has respectfully requested that these claims be reinstated. In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicant believes that the rejection of claims 1 – 3 and 8 – 11 has now been overcome and that these claims are allowable over the reference cited by the Examiner. Applicant further believes that withdrawn claims 4 – 6, if reinstated, are allowable over the reference cited by the Examiner. Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of all outstanding rejections and respectfully submits that the application stands in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner have any questions or suggestions regarding this amendment, the Examiner is respectfully asked to contact Applicant's representative at the telephone number or email address listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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